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Applicant(s): D. Scott WILBUR, *et al.* )  
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Filed: December 29, 2000 ) Examiner: Not assigned  
For: Trifunctional Reagent for Conjugation to a Biomolecule)

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

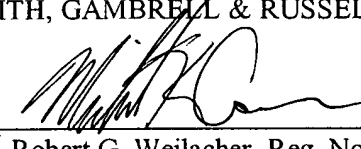
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ITEM(S)	FEE
1. <i>Amendment.</i> ;	

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Respectfully submitted,

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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Further to the Preliminary Amendment filed with the application on December 29, 2000,  
please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-32 from the application, being all of the claims which are presently  
pending, without prejudice or disclaimer as to the subject matter of the canceled claims.

Please add new claims 33- 96, as follows:

--33. A single molecule reagent for conjugation to a biomolecule, provided with at least three

functional parts, and corresponding to the following schematic structure (I) :

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